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**GROUP ART UNIT: 1773** 

EXAMINER: UNKNOWN

FILED: NOVEMBER 26, 2003

FOR: LAYERED ARTICLES HAVING POLYOXYMETHYLENE BLEND SUBSTRATES

WITH ENHANCED SURFACE PROPERTIES AND AT LEAST ONE LAYER

THEREON AND PROCESS FOR MAKING THE SAME

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